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ANNUAL REPORT OF MINING OPERATIONS

The informational requirements of this form are based on provisions of the Mined Land Reclamation Act, Title 40-8, Utah Code Annotated 1953, as amended, and the General Rules as promulgated under the Utah Minerals Regulatory Program. An operator conducting mining operations under a Notice of Intention must file an annual operations and progress report (FORM MR-AR) with the Division.

I. General Information

1. Report Time Period: From (mo./yr.) 1/99 To (mo./yr.) 12/99
 2. DOGM File Number (Mine No): S /053/ 027
 3. Mine Name: Black Ridge No. 1
 4. Mineral(s) Mined (or permitted to mine): Picture Sandstone
 5. Type of mine ☒ Surface Mine or ☐ Underground Mine
 6. Legal Description (Location of Lands Affected):
1/4, 1/4, SW 1/4, Section 18, Township 42 S, Range 14W
1/4, 1/4, 1/4, Section, Township, Range
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 7. Name of Operator or Company: Desert Sandscapes
 8. Permanent Street Address: 860 E. 19th St.
City, State, Zip: Tucson, AZ 85719
Phone: 520-623-1396 Fax: 520-903-2265
 9. Company Representative (or designated operator):
Name: John Halton
Title: President
Business Address: 860 E. 19th Street
City, State, Zip: Tucson, AZ 85719
Phone: 520-623-1396 Fax: 520-903-2265
- ☐ Please check if any of the above information has changed since previous year.

II. Mining and Reclamation

1. Was there any mine related activity during the past year? Yes ☒ No ☐
2. If no - what was the last year of activity? _____
3. If yes - how much ore or mineral was mined? 1,980 tons

4. Briefly describe the type of work performed, volume of material moved, and any new or additional surface disturbances that occurred during the past year.
Quarry development was performed at the Southwest side. An access road to the upper southwest side was developed over prior disturbed areas and quarry mining performed from this road down to the quarry face. Sandstone material removed for shipment offsite was 1,980 tons sandstone. Equipment used was trackhoe and loader.
5. How much **additional acreage** was disturbed during the past year? 0 acres
6. How much acreage was **reclaimed** during the past year? 0 acres
7. Briefly describe the reclamation work performed during the past year. This description should include methods employed, and an evaluation of the results.
The waste dump toe was resloped and an old quarry face at the waste dump was filled with waste and recontoured. Added disturbances adjacent to the quarry face were filled with waste and will later be recontoured for final reclamation.
8. What is the **total disturbed acreage of entire project** at years end? 2.90 acres
9. Briefly summarize any mining and/or reclamation plans for the upcoming year.
An additional mining campaign removing up to 3,000 tons of sandstone product is anticipated in fall/2000. No added disturbance is planned.

NOTE: Section III., "Additional Information" applies only to **large mining operations**.
N/A

III. Additional Information

1. An updated surface facilities map should be attached if there have been significant changes since the previous map was submitted.
2. Any monitoring results or other reports that are required under the terms of the approved notice of intention should also be attached.

IV. Signature Requirement

I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

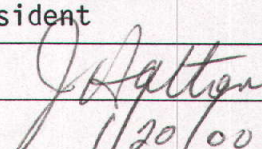
Name (Typed or Print):

John H. Halton

Title of Operator:

President

Signature of Operator:



Date:

11/20/00